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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Marcelo Daniel Baru Fassio Attorney Docket No. 127612 (37407-401600)  
Application No.: 10/817,158 Group Art Unit: 3762  
Filed: April 2, 2004 Examiner: George C Manuel  
Title: FULLY IMPLANTABLE NERVE SIGNAL SENSING AND  
STIMULATION DEVICE AND METHOD FOR TREATING FOOT DROP  
AND OTHER NEUROLOGICAL DISORDERS

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Petition  
Commissioner for Patents  
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I hereby certify that this correspondence and accompanying papers are being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Fax Number (571) 273-8300, Mail Stop Petition on August 27, 2008.

  
Signature

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Official Action mailed February 12, 2008 in the captioned matter.

The initial three-month term for response has expired on May 12, 2008. The three-month extended date for response is the mailing due date of this paper, August 12, 2008.

Submitted herewith in duplicate is a Petition for a three-month extension of term for response and the \$525.00 required fee. In the event any further fees are deemed necessary to be paid, the Commissioner is authorized to debit Deposit Account No. 50-1662.

**Amended claims** start at page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin at page 16 of this paper.